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Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action mailed August 14, 2002. A Request For Extension of Time together with appropriate fee, and a corrected Invention Disclosure Statement with copies of references cited therein, are transmitted herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 17, line 22 to read as follows:

"In the preferred embodiment illustrated in FIG 1, a cured hardened resin mixture 18 is illustrated as surrounding the stacked plates, including the shield base plate and shroud, by phantom lines representing the exterior margin of the resin, containing therein random particles of magnesium carbonate powder [19,] mixed therein. In a preferred embodiment, the resin mixture comprises polyester resin and styrene monomer, with talc, magnesium carbonate powder and sodium borosilicate mixed therein."